

F. No. 8-29/2018-FC
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Forest Conservation Division)

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New Delhi - 110 003
Dated: 20th December, 2018

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Department of Environment, Forests, Science and Technology
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi
Amaravati-522503

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 1625.53 ha. of forest land in favour of Andhra Pradesh Capital Region Development Authority (APCRDA) for establishment of Aerospace, Precision Engineering Innovation and Research and Green Mobility Park in Venkatayapalem Exten-1 & Exten-8 RFs in Guntur Division and District of Andhra Pradesh (Online Proposal No. FP/AP/Others/30218/2017) Reg.

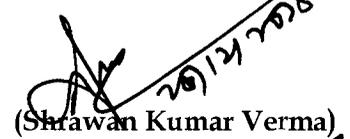
Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter No. 62/Section-II/2018 dated 11.01.2018 as received from Principal Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh on the above mentioned subject, seeking prior approval of Central Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and to say that the said proposal has been examined by the Forest Advisory Committee (FAC) constituted by the Central Government under Section-3 of the aforesaid Act.

2. After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government of Andhra Pradesh and on the basis of the recommendation of the Forest Advisory Committee, the Central Government hereby agrees **not to recommend** for granting "in-principle" approval for diversion of 1625.53 ha. of forest land in favour of Andhra Pradesh Capital Region Development Authority (APCRDA) for establishment of Aerospace, Precision Engineering Innovation and Research and Green Mobility Park in Venkatayapalem Exten-1 & Exten-8 RFs in Guntur Division and District of Andhra Pradesh.

3. This issue with the approval of competent authority.

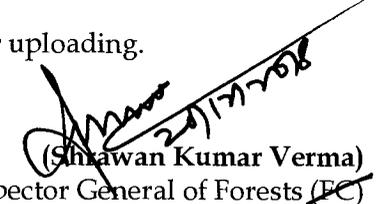
Yours faithfully,


(Shrawan Kumar Verma)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests (FC)

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1. The PCCF, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Amravati.
2. The Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central), Regional Office (Southern Zone), Chennai.
3. The Nodal Officer, under the forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Forest Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Amravati.
4. User Agency.
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, for uploading.
6. Guard File


(Shrawan Kumar Verma)
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